



# TURKEY MARKET NEWS REPORT

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## NATIONAL TURKEY MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

### DOMESTIC MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The market on fresh and frozen hens and 16-24 lb. toms is steady to firm. Frozen demand is light to moderate. Fresh demand is moderate for November shipments. Fresh and frozen offerings are light. Frozen Grade A basted equivalent processor offering prices on a national basis for hens 112.00- 119.00 cents fob and 16-24 lb. toms 112.00-121.00 cents fob for current deliveries. No current sales reported.

The market on bulk parts was steady instances firm. Demand and offerings light to moderate. Fresh tom breast meat market was steady, instances weak. The balance of white trims steady. Demand is mixed. Offerings of fresh tom breast meat and white trim light to moderate. Thigh meat market is steady. Demand and offerings light to moderate. The mechanically separated turkey market is steady. Demand is light to moderate. Offerings moderate. Market activity is slow.

### EXPORT MARKET HIGHLIGHTS

The market is steady, instances firm. Offerings and demand light. Trading was slow.

### NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS

INCLUDING BULK MEAT AND FROZEN (UNLESS SPECIFIED), CENTS PER LB., DELIVERED FIRST RECEIVERS, PART AND FULL TRUCKLOTS

The market on bulk parts is steady to instances firm. Offerings and demand light to moderate. The market on tom breast meat and white items steady with fresh tom breast meat instances weak. Demand is mixed. Offerings are light to moderate. The thigh meat market is steady. Demand and offerings light to moderate. Mechanically separated turkey market is steady. Demand is light to moderate for the moderate offerings. Market activity is slow. For domestic: fresh tom full-cut wings 76 cents delivered. For export: fresh tom drums 101 cents delivered to the Border.

DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE RANGE	L.S.T. CODE 1/	WTD AVG PRICE	VOLUME (000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		T	129.00	6
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A--FRESH 2/		W	178.14	21
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/				
DRUMSTICKS, TOM	111.00		111.00	40
DRUMSTICKS, TOM--FRESH	101.00-105.00		102.50	160
DRUMSTICKS, HEN	113.00		113.00	12
WINGS, FULL-CUT, TOM		F	85.00	16
WINGS, FULL-CUT, HEN	82.00		82.00	12
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM	97.00		97.00	12
WINGS, V-TYPE, HEN	147.00		147.00	2
NECKS, TOM		R	86.83	24
NECKS, HEN		R	44.00	2
BREASTS, B/S, TOM 3/		W	398.00	120
BREASTS, B/S, TOM--FRESH 3/	396.00-399.00		398.00	120
THIGH MEAT		T	175.00	17
THIGH MEAT--FRESH	174.00		174.00	40
BREAST TRIM MEAT		T	203.00	10
SCAPULA MEAT		W	219.00	18
WING MEAT WITH SKIN		T	140.00	40
TENDERLOINS		F	326.00	2
DESTRAPPED TENDERS		W	359.00	40
DESTRAPPED TENDERS--FRESH		F	365.00	2
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/		F	31.00	120
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED--FRESH 4/	29.00		29.00	40

### EXPORT TRADING

DRUMSTICKS, TOMS		W	127.00	120
WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS				
WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM				
TAILS	56.00		56.00	40
MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 4/				
THIGH MEAT - FROZEN				

1/ Codes for last significant trade (L.S.T.) M=Monday T=Tuesday W=Wednesday R=Thursday F=Friday

2/ Breasts are bagged; rib, back, and wing meat included; and basted.

3/ Boneless & skinless without tenderloins. 4/ 15-20% fat with skin added.